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PATENT

Docket No. RAL9-99-0181

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Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 at  
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by Karen Orzechowski Signature: Karen Orzechowski

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Raj K. Singh, et al

Serial No.: 09/505,748

Filed: 2/16/00

For: CUSTOMIZABLE SIMULATION MODEL OF AN ATM/SONET  
FRAMER FOR SYSTEM LEVEL VERIFICATION AND  
PERFORMANCE CHARACTERIZATION

Group Art Unit: 2123

Examiner: Thangavelu, Kandasamy

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office  
Communication mailed on January 13, 2004, for a period of 2 months.
2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

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**Docket No. RAL9-99-0181****3. Extension period and fee:**

	<u>(months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 110.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$ 420.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 950.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,450.00

Fee: \$ 420.00**4. A Notice of Appeal**


- ☒ is filed herewith.  
☐ has been filed.


**5. Fee Payment**

- ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 09-1990 and for any additional extension fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: June 14, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

  
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